Subject No. 314.
Water-supply to the Malvalli tanks.

Messrs. Shankarappa & Narasimha Murti.

Summary of discussion.—The Kasaba Malvalli and Morehalli tanks do not receive a sufficient supply of water every year. In former times it would appear they were fed by a channel drawn from the Kaveri river. This channel is not now in action. The rice lands under these tanks suffer much for want of water. A representation was made in previous years to fill these tanks with Chikadevarayasagar nala water, and the Government informed the Representatives that the matter had been referred to the Public Works Department for investigation. Nothing has yet been done. If the proposal is carried out, it will not only encourage wet cultivation but also provide the town of Malvalli with good drinking water.

Reply of Government.—The subject has been long before the Public Works Department. The Chief Engineer will kindly expedite disposal.

Subject No 315.
The Malvalli tank.

Messrs. Shankarappa & Narasimha Murti.

Summary of discussion.—Ever since the anikat across the waste-weir of the Malvalli tank and the Kodihalla was washed away, the surplus water of the tank as also the water of the Kodihalla has been running to waste. The Public Works Department prepared a project three or four years ago, but the work has not been taken in hand. Early construction of the anikat is prayed for.

Reply of Government.—To the Chief Engineer for expediting disposal.

Subject No. 316.
Early execution of repairs to Madavahalli-Haravenakere.

Messrs. Shankarappa & Narasimha Murti.

Summary of discussion.—A project for repairing the Haravenakere was prepared by the Public Works Department. But the work has not been taken in hand. Orders are solicited for early execution of the same. About 400 acres will be brought under cultivation.

Reply of Government.—To the Chief Engineer for expediting disposal.

Subject No. 317.
The tax on Waddar Bandis.

Messrs. Bale Madappa and Narasimha Murti.

Summary of discussion.—In this Municipality Waddar *bandis* are taxed at Rs. 2 each. These are a very inferior description of carts of the value of Rs. 7 or Rs. 8, and are solely used for agricultural purposes, namely, carrying manure etc.; consequently these may be exempted from taxation or taxed at one rupee each.

Reply of Government.—Not possible; this will reduce the income of the Municipality.

Subject No. 318.
Restoration of the Sulekere tank.

Mr. Bale Madappa.

Summary of discussion.—Repairs to the Sulekere tank should be done soon.

Reply of Government.—Referred to the Chief Engineer for investigation.

Subject No. 319.
A Local Fund Dispensary or Vaidyasala for Melkote.

Mr. Srinivasa Josyer.

Summary of discussion.—Melkote is a large place containing a population of 3,000 souls. Pilgrims visit the place in large numbers. The Government may be pleased to sanction a Local Fund Dispensary or Vaidyasala for Melkote.